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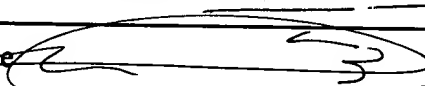
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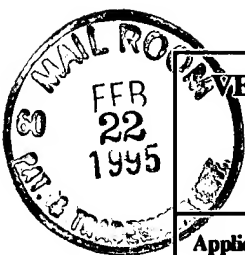
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A CLAIM BY ANOTHER FOR SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

Docket Number **BER-005**

Applicant or Patentee: Elberto Berdut

Serial or Patent No.: _____

Filed or Issued: February 22, 1995

Title: Improved Levitation System Using Permanent Magnets with Interleaved Iron or Steel

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